Message

From: Echeverria, Marietta [Echeverria.Marietta@epa.gov]

Sent: 5/5/2022 3:57:10 PM

To: Piper, Maya [Piper.Maya@epa.gov]; Rosenblatt, Daniel [Rosenblatt.Dan@epa.gov]

CC: Ozmen, Shamus [Ozmen.Shamus@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: For Review: Dicamba Desk Statement

Good, thanks

From: Piper, Maya <Piper.Maya@epa.gov> Sent: Thursday, May 5, 2022 10:11 AM

To: Echeverria, Marietta < Echeverria. Marietta@epa.gov>; Rosenblatt, Daniel < Rosenblatt. Dan@epa.gov>

Cc: Ozmen, Shamus < Ozmen. Shamus@epa.gov> **Subject:** RE: For Review: Dicamba Desk Statement

Hi Marietta,

Thanks for reviewing. Lindsay added some additional language to address your comment. Shamus will plan to move this forward at 11 AM.

"For the 2023 growing season and beyond, EPA stated that it will continue to evaluate the regulatory tools that it could use to address the extent and severity of reported dicamba-related incidents. EPA also affirmed that it will continue to communicate with over-the-top dicamba registrants to discuss their proposals for addressing dicamba incidents."

Best,

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From: Piper, Maya

Sent: Wednesday, May 4, 2022 11:50 AM

To: Echeverria, Marietta < Echeverria. Marietta@epa.gov>; Rosenblatt, Daniel < Rosenblatt. Dan@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: For Review: Dicamba Desk Statement

Hi Marietta and Dan,

For you review is a dicamba desk statement that we've drafted in case we receive questions following the upcoming status report. Please let me know if you have any edits by noon tomorrow, 5/5: <u>Dicamba Desk</u> Statement, May 2022. We'll plan to send this to DOJ after Michal reviews.

Thank you,

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From: Knorr, Michele < knorr.michele@epa.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 5:49 PM

To: Piper, Maya < Piper. Maya@epa.gov >; Hathaway, Margaret < Hathaway. Margaret@epa.gov >; Heyboer, Camille

<Heyboer.Camille@epa.gov>; Koch, Erin <Koch.Erin@epa.gov>; Roe, Lindsay@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: For Review: Dicamba Desk Statement

I had a few more small edits. Once this is approved by your management, we will need to run this by DOJ. Please keep that additional review in your timeline. Thanks

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From: Piper, Maya < Piper. Maya@epa.gov >

Sent: Tuesday, May 3, 2022 3:40 PM

To: Hathaway, Margaret < Hathaway. Margaret@epa.gov>; Knorr, Michele < knorr.michele@epa.gov>; Heyboer, Camille

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Subject: RE: For Review: Dicamba Desk Statement

Hi all,

Thank you for taking a look at the first draft. I've made some edits for flow and clarity. Please take a look and let me know if you have any concerns by noon tomorrow, 5/4.

Dicamba Desk Statement, May 2022

Best,

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From: Hathaway, Margaret < Hathaway. Margaret@epa.gov>

Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 5:59 PM

To: Piper, Maya <<u>Piper.Maya@epa.gov</u>>; Knorr, Michele <<u>knorr.michele@epa.gov</u>>; Heyboer, Camille <<u>Heyboer.Camille@epa.gov</u>>; Koch, Erin <<u>Koch.Erin@epa.gov</u>>; Roe, Lindsay@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: For Review: Dicamba Desk Statement

I've just completed my desk statement comments.

- Meg

From: Hathaway, Margaret

Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 5:40 PM

To: Piper, Maya <<u>Piper.Maya@epa.gov</u>>; Knorr, Michele <<u>Knorr.Michele@epa.gov</u>>; Heyboer, Camille <<u>Heyboer.Camille@epa.gov</u>>; Koch, Erin <<u>Koch.Erin@epa.gov</u>>; Roe, Lindsay@epa.gov>

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Sorry – The one I just finished is actually PRD's internal DRA dicamba factsheet. Maya, still working on yours.

- Meg

From: Hathaway, Margaret

Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 5:37 PM

To: Piper, Maya <<u>Piper.Maya@epa.gov</u>>; Knorr, Michele <<u>Knorr.Michele@epa.gov</u>>; Heyboer, Camille <<u>Heyboer.Camille@epa.gov</u>>; Koch, Erin <<u>Koch.Erin@epa.gov</u>>; Roe, Lindsay <<u>Roe.Lindsay@epa.gov</u>>

Subject: RE: For Review: Dicamba Desk Statement

I have added my comments to the current draft but also support any additional changes Michele feels are appropriate re. adjusting the focus of the statement.

- Meg

From: Piper, Maya < Piper. Maya@epa.gov > Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 10:40 AM

To: Knorr, Michele < knorr.michele@epa.gov>; Heyboer, Camille < Heyboer.Camille@epa.gov>; Koch, Erin < Koch.Erin@epa.gov>; Roe, Lindsay@epa.gov>; Hathaway, Margaret < Hathaway.Margaret@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: For Review: Dicamba Desk Statement

Hi Michele,

Sure, please make the adjustments you see fit. I'll keep the other language on hand in case we are asked to add it back in later.

Best,

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From: Knorr, Michele < knorr.michele@epa.gov>

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Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 10:33 AM

To: Piper, Maya < Piper. Maya@epa.gov>; Heyboer, Camille < Heyboer. Camille@epa.gov>; Koch, Erin

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From: Piper, Maya < Piper. Maya@epa.gov > Sent: Monday, May 2, 2022 10:18 AM

To: Heyboer, Camille < Heyboer. Camille@epa.gov >; Knorr, Michele < knorr.michele@epa.gov >; Koch, Erin

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Subject: For Review: Dicamba Desk Statement

Hi all,

I've been asked to draft a desk statement in case we receive questions from the media following the dicamba status update. Please review by COB tomorrow, 5/3: Dicamba Desk Statement, May 2022

Best,

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From: Heyboer, Camille < Heyboer. Camille @epa.gov>

Sent: Thursday, April 28, 2022 11:05 AM

To: Koch, Erin < Koch. Erin@epa.gov>; Piper, Maya < Piper. Maya@epa.gov>

Cc: Knorr, Michele < knorr.michele@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Dicamba Question

Hi Maya,

My responses to your questions are in red below. Please let me know if you need anything further!

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From: Koch, Erin < Koch. Erin@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, April 28, 2022 10:21 AM
To: Piper, Maya < Piper. Maya@epa.gov>

Cc: Heyboer, Camille < Heyboer. Camille@epa.gov >; Knorr, Michele < knorr.michele@epa.gov >

Subject: RE: Dicamba Question

I'm looping in Camille who can give you these details. Cc'ing Michele for her awareness when she's back.

From: Piper, Maya <Piper.Maya@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, April 28, 2022 8:41 AM
To: Koch, Erin <Koch.Erin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Dicamba Question

Hi Erin,

We are working with OPA to figure out the best timing for Michal to accept a live interview on dicamba. OPA is thinking we might want to wait until after EPA responds to a dicamba court case in May. Can you provide a little more information regarding the "status update" that EPA is providing for that court case? Such as:

- Which court case is it?
- When exactly is the status update happening?
- What kind of information will we be providing?

I welcome anything else that you think would be helpful as well!

Best,

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From: Roe, Lindsay <<u>Roe, Lindsay@epa.gov</u>>
Sent: Thursday, April 28, 2022 8:18 AM
To: Piper, Maya <<u>Piper, Maya@epa.gov</u>>

Subject: RE: Dicamba Question

Hi, Maya.

I don't have any reason to believe a court decision would be coming in May. As far as I know, the status update is us giving some information on any dicamba-related actions and activities that have been going on with EPA in the last several months or that are currently in progress. If you need much more detailed information about what this means in the court case, OGC would be able to do better than me.

-Lindsay

From: Piper, Maya < Piper.Maya@epa.gov > Sent: Thursday, April 28, 2022 7:44 AM
To: Roe, Lindsay < Roe.Lindsay@epa.gov >

Subject: RE: Dicamba Question

I see, so a court decision is not being made in May? I'm not sure what a status update means. And sorry about that – OPA is the Office of Public Affairs!

Best,

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From: Roe, Lindsay <<u>Roe.Lindsay@epa.gov</u>>
Sent: Wednesday, April 27, 2022 5:35 PM
To: Piper, Maya <<u>Piper.Maya@epa.gov</u>>

Subject: RE: Dicamba Question

Hi, Maya.

The only deadline I can think of for dicamba is the response that we're giving for the court case. It's just a status update and OGC has mostly taken charge on that.

The OPA acronym isn't ringing a bell at the moment, so hopefully this response makes sense in this context.

Thanks, Lindsay

From: Piper, Maya <<u>Piper.Maya@epa.gov</u>>
Sent: Wednesday, April 27, 2022 12:31 PM
To: Roe, Lindsay <<u>Roe.Lindsay@epa.gov</u>>

Subject: Dicamba Question

Hi Lindsay,

OPA is asking if there is a May deadline/milestone coming up on Dicamba. Is that the case?

Thanks,

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